BEFORE THE NATIONAL GREEN TRIBUNAL, PRINCIPAL BENCH, NEW DELHI
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IN THE MATTER OF:
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ADDITIONAL ACTION TAKEN REPORT ON BEHALF OF DPCC WITH RESPECT TO ORDER DATED 15.04.2019

IT IS MOST RESPECTFULLY SHOWETH:

1. That total no. of 09 units at the main road Gali No. 5, Near Radha Krishna Mandir, Village-Jagatpur, Delhi-84, were found and inspected by the officials of DPCC & NDMC on 12.02.2019. That the copy of the list of the 09 units inspected is herewith marked and annexed as ANNEXURE-A.

2. That Environmental Compensation for an amount of Rs. 50,000/- each was imposed on all the 9 units on 12.04.2019 including Directions for closure u/s 31(A) of Air Act, 1981 and u/s 33(A) of Water Act, 1974 on 12.04.2019 for the violation observed during the inspection.

3. That North Delhi Municipal Corporation vide letter dated 11.4.2019, reported that the occupiers of all the nine units have themselves vacated their premises and presently there is no illegal and polluting
activity found in any of the premises. That the photographs were duly taken during action. That the photographs are herewith marked and annexed as ANNEXURE-B (colly).

4. All the nine units were also inspected on 25.4.2019 by the officials of DPCC and found premises were vacant.

5. That out of these nine units, only one unit namely M/s Ujjwal Sawera Samiti, Kh. No. 11/7, Ch.Binarayan Gali No. 5/3, has deposited environmental compensation of Rs. 50,000/-.

6. That further, recovery certificates were issued on 14.05.2019 followed by reminders on 24.06.2019 and 05.07.2019 for recovery of Rs. 50,000/- each from 08 defaulting units as arrears of land revenue and the same may be remitted to DPCC. That the copy of the letters dated 14.05.2019, 24.06.2019 and 05.07.2019 are herewith marked and annexed as ANNEXURE-C (colly).

(Satender Kumar)
Environmental Engineer
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KH No.11/17, Grid No.5,
Main Road Jagatpur
Village Dehli 84.
Ms. Arjun Jeera Dyeing Factory

Gali No. 5, Kh. No. 11/17,
Main Road, Tajpur Village.
Delhi - 110084.
M/s. Arjun Jeans Dyeing Factory
2nd Floor, Gali No. 5/3, KH No. 1107
Main Road, Tajpur, Villages
Delhi - 84.
M/s Ujjwal Sawoora
Samiti, Kh. No. 117,
Gali No. 5, Main Road,
Jagat Pur-VII, Delhi
11/1, Jitender Kumar Electroplating Factory,
Plot No. 13/11/14, Gali No. 5, Main Rd. Seangal Pur Village.
Delhi.
M/s. Namkeen Manufacturing Unit
R.H. No. 13/1/14, Main Road Jagatpura
Village Delhi-81.
M/S Indra Prastha Automobiles Pvt. Ltd.
Plot No. 5, Main Road, Tajpur Village
Delhi - 84.
To,
The Sub-Divisional Magistrate (Civil Line)
Room No/27-28, (2nd Floor),
Old Civil Lines,
Tis Hazari Court Complex,
Delhi-110006.

Sub.: Direction u/s 31(A) of Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and u/s 33(A) of Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 as amended in the matter Original Application No. 792/2018 (Ram Prakash Vs. Govt. of NCT of Delhi) regarding pollution caused by chemical sprays in the course of illegal manufacturing of jeans in the residential area at the main road Gali No. 05, near Radha Krishna Mandir, Village-Jagatpur, Delhi-84

Whereas, Central Pollution Control Board is the State Board for all the Union Territories to exercise powers and perform functions under the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and under Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981.

And whereas, Central Pollution Control Board has delegated all its powers and functions under the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and under the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 in respect of Union Territory of Delhi to Delhi Pollution Control Committee.

And whereas, the whole Union Territory of Delhi has been declared as an Air Pollution Control area, under sub section (1) of section 19 of the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 vide notification no. GSR 106 (E) dated 20.02.1987.

And whereas, it is mandatory provision under section 21/22 of the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 that no person without the previous consent of the DPCC shall establish or operate any industrial plant in air pollution control area.

And whereas, it is a mandatory provision under u/s 25/26 of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, that no person without the previous consent of the DPCC shall establish or take any steps to establish any industry, operation or process or any treatment and disposal system an extension or addition thereto, which is likely to discharge sewage or trade effluent into a stream or well or sewer or on land or operate any industrial plant in air pollution control area.

And whereas, Hon’ble National Green Tribunal (NGT) vide its order dated 12.12.2018 in O.A. No. 792/2018 in the above matter, ordered the following:-

"...we direct constitution of a joint Committee comprising representatives of District Magistrate, North Delhi, Delhi Pollution Control Committee (DPCC) and North MCD to ascertain facts and take action as per law.

The nodal agency will be the DPCC for co-ordination and follow up action....."

And whereas, the alleged 09 Nos of units were inspected by the officials of DPCC on 12.12.2018 and during the inspection, it was found that the said area is a residential/non-conforming area for the industrial activities and falls under the jurisdiction of North Delhi Municipal Corporation.

And whereas, DPCC had issued Direction u/s 33(A) of Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and u/s 31(A) of Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 on 12.04.2019 to the Divisional Commissioner, SDM, MCD, DJB, BSES/ TPDDL etc.

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And whereas, these units were operating in violation of order of Hon’ble Supreme Court and causes damage to the environment and is liable to pay environmental compensation and accordingly, letters for seeking Environmental Compensation of Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand Only) were issued to all the 09 units (list enclosed) in compliance of Hon’ble NGT order dated 12.12.2018 and out of these 09 units only 01 unit namely M/s Ujjwala Sawera Samiti, Kh. No. 11/7, Ch. Binnarayan Gali No. 5/3, Main Road Jagatpur Village, Delhi-110084 has submitted Environmental Compensation of Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand Only) as on date.

Now therefore, in view of above, you are directed to take appropriate action for recovery of Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand Only) each from 08 defaulting units as arrears of land revenue so as to comply with order of Hon’ble NGT dated 12.12.2018 and the same may be remitted to DPCC. You are also requested to submit compliance report to DPCC within 07 days.

This is being issued as per the approval of Competent Authority.

Encl.: As above

(Satender Kumar)
Incharge (CMC-V)
To,

The Sub-Divisional Magistrate (Civil Line)
14, Darya Ganj,
New Delhi-110002.

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This has reference to this office letter of even number dated 14.05.2019 (copy enclosed) wherein directions for taking appropriate action for recovery of Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand Only) each from 08 defaulting units as arrears of land revenue were issued by this department. The reply in this regard is still awaited.

In view of above, you are again directed to take appropriate action for recovery of Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand Only) each from 08 defaulting units as arrears of land revenue so as to comply with order of Hon’ble NGT dated 12.12.2018 and the same may be remitted to DPCC. You are also requested to submit compliance report to DPCC within 07 days.

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This is being issued as per the approval of Competent Authority.

Encl.: As above

(Surinder Kumar)
Incharge (CMC-V)